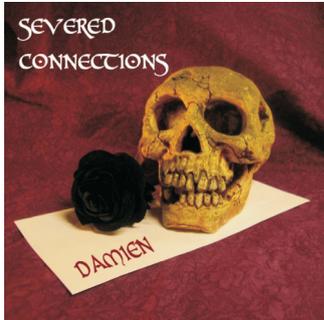


# DAMIEN

## SEVERED CONNECTIONS



The USA born DAMIEN offers insight into the world of emotions, with his fascinating audio art. The ex-gospel singer creates a amazing dark treasure, that travels through a musical array between piano dominating ballads, a sacred neo-classical basis, and a lacework of the intertwined elements of electronic sound production.

He tells an honest, emotional, and passionate story of Pain and grief without losing himself in the typical gothic kitsch. The dominating elements are the dark, powerful voice and the Chanson piano, and the Melancholic lament is dextrously broken over and over by his use of elements from Dark Ambient and Experimental Industrial. Thus Damien generates a atmosphere which searches its equals in today's, superficial musical scenery oriented on fun, in its soulful depth.

The new CD "Severed Connections" (deluxe version) was released on 11.11.2009 via known download portals like Napster, i-Tunes, and also Amazon. The album offers fascinating, dark music and soulful lyrics, which do not reveal themselves by the first, superficial listening. But a listener with open ears and an open heart will be captivated within the depths of DAMIEN's musical world. The dimensions are comparable in its fascination, and absolutely without exaggeration, with projects like Sopor Aeternus, but also Nick Cave or David Sylvian but comparisons are often thin. Particularly in DAMIEN's case, even though the unique art that he offers us carries all of these elements.

Whoever is familiar with the above named comparisons, and/or is willing to take in and embrace something new, will be richly rewarded by "Severed Connections"!

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